[illegible] I want to
speak with you about confidential
matter to-day —

What do you think of
Miss Selzer as a missionary
worker? Is she earnest and
efficient in the line of getting
access to the families — & teaching
the gospel into them — as
opportunity offers? Is she
any strong influence as a teacher?
It is important we should
know something about
it as soon as possible —

yrs. truly & respy.

J. G. H. Haines &c

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July 3d, 4.

Mr. John D. Fisk, Brookfield, Mass.

My dear Sir:- If you knew how much interested my sister, Mrs. Electa Richards, and myself have been in hearing from you through Dr. Chickering,, and also in seeing some of your letters to him, you would not be surprised at hearing from me. How well I remember the scenes at Bolton, when my honored father, S. V. S. Wilder, called all the family together forfamily worship! including all those employed on the farm, as well as in the household. We little thought that so many years after, these occasions would be remembered so

thankfully by us.

I am sure, from your letters, you can say with myself, "All the way my Savior leads me". The work which He gives to each one of us to do may differ, but in His service we feel there is real unity of heart.

If I were not going probably so far away this summer, it had been my plan, if possible, to call upon you in Brookfield, as I have a daughter living not very far away, at East Hampton; but such a visit is now out of the question, as I am about to leave on a Mission tour, going as far, probably, as Alaska.

I would like to send my love to your wife.

With sincere respect,

Very truly yours,

Ramona E. H. Haines

July 3d, 4.

Miss M. L. Allison, Marchand, Indiana Co. Pa.

My dear Miss Allison:- You may have heard through Mrs Ham, of the mistake made in sending a letter intended for you, to the other Miss Allison. I think very probably the mistake was my own, in writing the wrong initials. I now send you a copy of the letter, and would like an answer as soon as convenient.

You do not know how glad we have been to see you, and to know more of your self-denying life and efforts, which, even against your own direct intention were made very manifest to us. Now that the A[illegible]y at

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Santa Fe, has gone into other hands, I hope there will be no difficulty in having our Mission building used as you have proposed Please write to Mrs. Ham, or to Miss F. A. Dyer, in regard to any matter which you may desire to bring before our Committee. I myself expect to be away during the summer.

Yours very truly and affectionately,

4. July 4th, 4.

Mrs. Julia Mc Nair Wright,

My dear Mrs Wright:- A letter written to you in April came back to me from the Post Office, the other day. It had gone to Atlantic City, on an "exploring expedition." I do not know that this will meet with better success, but I enclose this old note, to show that you were not forgotten, at the time effort was made to have some action taken the General Assembly in regard to work among the Freedmen. Mrs. R. H. Allen received ov 1 00 names. At first we feared that the whc thing would fall through, but very providen it was taken up in the right

believe that the way is open now for a decided onward movement at the South as well as the West.

Mrs. Phelps, our new Editorial Secretary, told me the other day, that she had some communication from you, but there would not be room for it until after the Reports of our annual meeting have been printed.

I wish you could go to Alaska with me, but perhaps after writing that book, you know enough of that country, without personal observation. I hope some time we may be able to meet in New York or elsewhere.

One of your old papers read at Pittsburgh, was spoken of by Miss Dyer, who is taking up the work in our office this summer She said it was one of the best things she had ever read on the subject. Thank you for this and all other good work you have written in aid

July 4th,

Mrs. C. M. Snow, Phelps, N. Y.

My dear Mrs. Snow:- Since dictating a letter to you yesterday, yours of the 1st inst. has come to hand. I see that Mrs. Reed probably prefers that her melodeon should go to Utah. You may depend upon hearing from Miss F. A. Dyer in good time in regard to it.

I note with interest what you say in regard to Mrs. Helen Wirt Breed, and have entered her name upon thebook of applications. As to Mt. Pleasant, however, I do not see how it is that Miss Lockwood should propose any one as Principal there, as I think arrangements are made for next year. There may be a

vacancy, however, in which case, I will be glad to have Mrs. Breed's name proposed for it.

It is possible that we shall before long start another institution of the kind, in which case Mrs. Breed shall be remembered. I know Mrs. Gallup very well, and value her advice very highly. I have written to Mrs. Breed myself, this morning.

It makes no difference to us whether a teacher is employed in a boarding-school or a day-school; they are all placed upon regular salary.

Rev. Dr. Mc Millan is now at Mt. Pleasant. He has been elected President of the College at Deer Lodge, Montana, and is doing an important work there.

The twenty dots sent by the invalid girl for the work in Corea, I forward to Mrs. Frank Wood, at the Foreign Mission office, in

New York. It is an interesting gift coming from a member of the Shut-in society, and if followed by her prayers, as I have no doubt it will be, we have reason to expect it may do great good.

Yours with love,

E. H. Haines &c.

July 4th, 4.

Mr. John Ross, Tahlequah, Indian Territory.

My dear Sir:- You may before this have heard that your application in regard to having the Mission at Fort Gibson transferred to Tahlequah, has not been in vain. I hope the change will prove of advantage in every way. Your letters have helped bring this about and I hope that in future you will write very full; in regard to the state of things, mentioning what you believe would add to the usefulness and attraction of the school; not that we can in every case furnish what you would like to have, but really there is no harm in your mentioning such needs.

I expect to be away during the rest of the summer, it being proposed that I visit the Missions in Alaska, but Miss F. A. Dyer, at our office, will take great interest in attending to the correspondence during my absence. I will not add more to-day.

Believe me very truly yourfriend,

T. L. Stanley

July 5th,

Rev. J. Milton Green, Northampton, Mass.

My dear Sir:- I have been great disappointed, as has also my son, Edward, in not being able to welcome you at our home. Your note from Northampton was received in time for us not to expect you very much, last Saturday. I cannot propose another visit, as my family has left town already, and I shall be away probably, after the middle of next week.

I suppose you have seen the Span paper, El Anciano, which was purchased by Woman's Executive Committee of Home Missio and is now being printed at Del Norte, Col.

Rev. Eneas Mc Lean is Editor. In yiur address at the Second Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn, I think you implied that some paper was needed in Mexico proper. I wonder whether some arrang ment could not be made, adapting the El Anciano to the double purpose, with some economy of time and money? Perhaps this is not feasible, and I only venture the suggestion.

Now that the Railroads are to be completed soon, of they are not already, to Mexico, you will not feel so far away from your family, when you return there, but I am so sorry to have you separated from them.

Stranger things have happened than that I should sometime have the pleasure of seeing the work in that old Empire. Certainly I never expected until lately, to go, as I now propose to do (n.v.), to Alaska and California, and other points on the Pacific coast.

It is pleasant to see as much of this wonderful planet upon which we live, while in the present state of being as possible. When we think of the developments of the future life, one is quite lost at the thought of the endless service and revelations of God's work and providence which we have reason through grace to anticipate.

Wishing you great and continued success in your special department of work.

Yours truly and respectfully,

C. J. H. Hoover

no reason for not going forward as fast as He provides the work and the workers, and also the money to set all in motion.

Your little "turtle" has quite a prominent place on my dressing bureau, here home, and I leave it for you to judge whether it is on account of its presence tha I have had no symptoms of malaria. At any rate, it often gives me very loving thoughts of you.

Very truly your friend,

W. E. H. Printed Rec

as to the building. This matter has been brought before a society in Delaware which has agreed to pay the salary of a teacher. We cannot send one alone into such a remote corner, and think we have secured a mother and daughter who seem to be just the ones for the place. We therefore need to collect money toward the salary of the second teacher, expecting that one of the two will be more engaged in what we call City Mission work than in the school room. There will also be furniture to pay for and expenses for traveling &c. so that if you would like to contribute toward this special Mission, your help will be very

July 5th,

Mr. Grove P. Rawson, 107 W. Market St., Elmira,

My dear Sir:- A letter speaking of money in hand to be appropriated to some obj of the Mission-field, is always especially welcome. I am glad that you are training your Sunday School to take large views of wh is to be done in the world, and to contribut not only to what is needed in this country, b in other lands as well. We have so many thin on hand for which we need money, that I hardl know how to answer your question as to wh one is particularly needy. As special interest is usually felt in a work that is activel ne I would call your attention to the nee

in the Snake River Valley, Idaho. I send you a copy of the July number of the "Pres. Home Missionary", and you will find on page 149, a statement in regard to the spread of the Mormons into the North, as well as in other directions. This article was written by the Rev. E. M. Knox, of Malad City, Idaho, who is well acquainted with the facts in the case. ~~Hi~~ His statements are fully confirmed in letters received from Miss Carrie Nutting of Hyrum, Utah. She says that a number of families were ordered away from the town where she is teaching school, because the children in these families had been sent to her school. One man, a Mr. Anderson, a carpenter who had been engaged on the Garfield Memorial chapels in the Cache Valley, and his family, were among these exiles He says if we will only send a teacher after them into Idaho, there will be no difficulty

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welcome.

I send you some leaflets in regard to the work in New Mexico, also. We want to establish about eight schools this fall, if possible, at an expense of about $500 each. Rev. Mr Perea, a converted Mexican, writes that he is besieged by the leading men in the a number of places which he has visited, begging that a teacher may be sent. If your school would like to give something toward the Mexican work, it would also be very acceptable to us.

Yours very truly,

A. F.

July 5th, 4.

Mrs. S.S.Bryan, 164 Robinson St., Allegany, Pa.

My dear Mrs. Bryan:- Before I leave, I feel as if I wanted to write you again even by the hand of another. You need never be afraid about sending me your little notes of warning or of imformation, for they are held quite confidentially, and I thank you for them.

I saw Mrs. R. H. Allen last Tuesday. If Miss S. and Miss L. are doing well in the South, it would seem almost a pity to take them to the Indian Territory, particularly now, since the Freedmen's work has become connected with our own. Mrs. Allen suggests that these two friends should be appointed to some out station which she may like to establish.

The Titusville society is specially interested in the Mission school at MT Pleasant, Utah, and has promised to raise the $800 or $900 needed for the enlargement of the building there. Wherever you may be, I am sure the presence of the Lord will guide and comfort you.

Miss Dyer is just now away, taking a little rest, for a wonder, at her home at Covington. She had to go, primarily, on account of the anniversary of the Foreign Missionary Society, of which she is President. I am glad to have our work mixed up in this way, with both departments, believing that there is no cause of friction between the two.

I know that you will remember me in my absence, and sometimes please remember me in prayer, that my visit to the Missions may in some way, prove of advantage both to them and to myself, fitting me better to understand the various needs in question.

With love,

Your friend,

E. W. Haines

She and Dr. Allen, as you probably know, expect to spend three months at the South, and so can act from personal observation. Mrs. Allen is greatly encouraged by the warm interest you are taking in the new department of which she is placed at the head. But poor Pittsburgh; I do not exactly see who is to be leader there, still, I can feel no anxiety, for the Lord, who raises up workers for us at our office in New York, will no doubt take care of His work in Western Pennsylvania.

I think I have written that I congratulate Titusville upon the prospect of having you there, and when I remember that it will cos no more postage from there than from any other point, and your work hitherto has been so much in the line of letter writing, I am hopeful you can still keep this up, as before.

I know it will be in your heart to do so.

July 5th,

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Rev. T. Hill, D. D., Kansas City, Mo.

My dear Sir:- I think you will be surprised to know of the long trip that is proposed to me viz, to Alaska, returning via California and Utah. How gladly I would take the Indian Territory on the way, but do not see how this will be possible. In my absence, Miss F. A. Dyer will attend to the correspondence at our office, and I assure you she will take warm-hearted interest in it.

I write particularly to let you know that Miss A. M. Robertson has gone to the Indian Territory, with the understanding that beside pressing forward the building at

the new Creek Mission, she is alo, in consultation with you, though perhaps only by letter, to visit such points in the Territory as may seem to be open for the establishmment of a day-school. Dr. Kendall is thoroughly aroused on the subject of the Indian Territory. I hardly ever knew him to take so much interest in a special work, and I am hopeful that wherever the way seems plain to you and Miss Robertson a teacher may be sent this fall. If you have any special ones to recommend, I hope you will make it known to Miss Dyer.

It was a very pleasant surprise to see Mrs. Hill at Saratoga. I hope the change has been a benefit to her health. I am myself thankful that the Lord has placed you just where you are so much needed.

With cordial respects, your friend,

E. E. H. Harris &c.

Aug. 1st., 4.

Mrs. C. H. Hyde, Carthage, Ill.

Dear Mrs. Hyde:- In the absence of Mrs. Haines, who is on a trip to Alaska, California, and some of our Mission Schools in the Western Territories, I have her correspondence in charge. In relation to Miss Josie Curtis' letter, I am in entire sympathy with her request. However, as I find in a recent letter from her addressed to this office, that Mrs. Haines has corresponded with her upon this same subject, I should recommend you to ask her to give you Mrs. Haines' opinion. I think the argument a very strong one, that truly Christianized Mormons can do much more to help their own people than others can.

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Mrs. S. M. Blair, Coal Valley, Allegheny Co. Pa.

Dear Mrs Blair:- Have you received a Blank marked "Rev. H. C. Bradbury" ? If you have, please return it to me, as he does not wish a Bap. Yours in the work.

July 31st 94

Rev. H. C. Bradbury.
Lincoln Centre, Kansas.

Dear Sir - Have you returned the Blank sent you ? If not, will you please do so ? I love to see men trust the Lord in temporal, as well as in spiritual things. None who do so, ever suffer.

Yours sincerely,

(Mrs. S. M. Blair)

Yours in the work.

answer from Miss Curtis, please address me again.

If you do not receive a satisfactory

Aug. 4th 1884

Mrs. A. E. White - 280 Locust St. Alleg. City Pa.

Your letter of inquiry just rec'd. You may not know that Mrs. White has left the Office because of trouble with her eyes.

Because of the abuse of the Box system, which you have experienced the Ex. Com. determined to send out no Blanks except as Ministers applied for them. The fact that applications from Societies is for in excess of the former. We have no Blanks to send you now - Many names are on file in advance of your application - but we will be glad to respond to your request as soon as possible. But - dear - How can we know better than you the condition of the families desiring such? Yours in the work Miss F. A. Dyer.

Aug. 5th

My dear Mrs. Green - Tenafly - N. J.

Accept thanks for your kind letter. I am willing to trust you for your share of the annual "good behaviour" instruction - as the Lord shall lead. If you will write as much to Mrs. Bryan - (I mean what you have said in your letter) - I think it will open the way for correspondence concerning Miss Cady. which will help Mrs. B. and give her a sense of security which one who carries a large responsibility likes to feel.

I sent you yesterday - all of Mrs. Day's letter Dr Kendall's Jas. Boyd - & Mr. Calvin's entitled "the little city corner" in a body that you may get a true impression and decision concerning the charges on the part of them.

Mrs. Day is in Mexico. Mr. Calvin is at his home in Mexico. Mr. Boyd is at his home in Mexico. Dr. Kendall is at his home in Mexico. I am sorry I have been [illegible] for I have been [illegible]. We must [illegible] Then is [illegible]

The Carpenters & plasterers are nearly through and the rest steps in order is furniture removal. Dr Kendall my pastor that I ask Mrs Green to call us by a No. of the St. Com. as she could be wanted for a little business concerning this important proceeding, early this coming week. That new carpet must be ordered you know. The lovely Cretonne to shield the precious treasures from the dust. The arranging of Leaflets upon the shelves, & tables! A wonderful Era in the history of the baby existence of the W. H. & Home Mission! Perhaps, also, the ordination of a For. Missionary Lounge - needed. to be loaned for the comfort of our leaders, but may Jesus! Oh! you understand - dear Mrs. President is it convenient Please instruct your Sec. pro. tem. when to phone, she shall give the Call.

The "heap" is becoming less like the pillar of "cloud" - until the more genial light & warmth of the "fire" pillar is begin to lead. Unconsciously my dear friend

Aug. 6th 4

Miss E. Monger- Springville, Utah.

My dear friend:

Mrs. L. Y. Gardiner of Amsterdam, N. Y. desires a scholarship in your school. In Mrs. Miller's absence from the City I do not know the necessary steps in securing and assigning scholarships. Will you proceed as to deal with you, and write a nice letter to Mrs. Gardiner when you send her the bill telling her whether she is supporting a girl or a boy. and send me the same information which you give her. This I know is one of the necessary steps. I received a p. c. from Mrs. Haines this morning dated July 26- Seattle, Washington Ter. She was well and we know she is happy in being permitted to come home to live with a

any of the workers in schools and hospitals. I think this trip will be particularly good training to the work and workers.

Affectionately Yours
S. A. Dyer
(Miss)

Aug. 7th 64

Miss C. A. Heck. Chambersburg. Pa.

Dear friend:

In the absence of Mrs. Haines who has been requested by the Ex. Com. to visit our Mission Schools on the Pacific Slope, and in Alaska. I have the charge of the correspondence

(The Synodical Com. of Pa. have called me, from my duties as Con. Sec. and visitor to the churches, for a period of 3 months. I expect to leave 23 Center the 30th day of September. begin work in Pa. My first work of Presbyterial visitation (2d) is in your Pres. of Carlisle. On the 6th & 7th of Oct. I expect to be at the Ann. Synodical Meet. Phil. - organize a Soc. in Dr. Mutch's Ch. while there - go home to meet brethren at York. Pa. & then back by

When to the Art. Delg. Ch — in Carlisle Presbytery - Then Continue visiting Through the Presbytery. This is the promised plan - but how little we know what a day may bring forth! All may come to naught. But it is so restful to feel willing that the dear Lord shall direct every step. All my life - my time - my strength - my pleasure - are His, entirely as He is pleased to give me light for my steps. More than this I cannot do.

I take pleasure in enclosing a list of Certificates which Applicants are desired to fill out. The vacancy to which you refer in your letter has been filled by a Gentleman. There are several vacancies, or rather openings for teachers in Utah. Please let me hear from you all over.

Yours very Truly

F. A. Dyer

(Miss)

I wish that you will go to Pres. with Cincinnati from Carlisle.

Ed Newton Esq. Superintendent Presbyterian Mission Rooms, Chicago - 1st Prairie.

Aug. 11th

Mrs. C. E. Walker Ponca Springs. Col.

Indeed, My dear Helper! I have had it in my heart to give you an earlier reply. But I mailed my former address and [illegible] (Utah or Mormon has each yet gone) - I am so glad the heavy "news" is at last healing in the home trough. And I guess somebody else is also more than glad. Please say that I am constantly that I have had during my best to obtain the freedom rest. I visited Dr. Kendall a few days ago. That there was no other thing to do. But to bring Mr. W. East and that dear tummy the tiny, unfurnished people in the 3rd floor of 23 Center St. Then - then we could have the loving hearth and clean dream of our Colorado chamber always [illegible] Yes, the flood?) I really believe - Sometimes

This will be a comfortable one for my
nerves & bodies more steady! Oh! did you
feel that last — too real altogether! Earth
-quake in Col. Yesterday! It was —
I can't say I write — for I was not quite
yet awake. My hands only were at work.
I never shall forget it.

So clear — I do not believe in Supp
-osed "Dr." any more really perplexed.
And yet I find it the most difficult thing
I have ever undertaken to work this awful
burden & responsibility upon the only One
that can carry it. O, I know so little! Every
letter — nearly — is so important! So few inqui
-ries are answered directly from "above
& below" but the burden of my, almost, hourly
prayer is — "Dear Lord" Oh! me from
bringing into the work any confusion
or fatal mistakes through my lack of
knowledge" — and some how, I have a
sort of rest in great un-rest — if you
can understand the paradox — when the
little troubling flesh creeps up to the
Sympathizing Father's ear! Oh! my heart
is in this work — and I love every detail of

it as a Mother loves a child. I have
received many letters in reply to mine
which have been gratifying to me. Every thing
I have asked for from Dr. I have as
even to getting one Organ for Miss H. & Bl
whose whole soul seemed to go out in a
little wail for me as a "dear friend now"
in her work. Now I felt sorry about Mrs. Coy
- but you should see the bitter appeal
that came in the Envelope. And how
could I judge that I was called be
any objection especially when the people
of Chicago had given and wanted her.
Perhaps you can correspond with Mrs. Scott or
Mrs. Hamer and still change it. I
dare not undertake it after having decided
it. Yes - the Decatur Soc. has responded
& Presbyterial will do what it can. for M
Wilson. I forgot to tell you that beside the

three Appeals from the 6th Ch. Chicago, that Mrs Haines wish me to do the same thing.

I will do my best to carry out all your requests in detail - so far as they have not already been done. I sent you leaflets, and papers some days ago. If ever "Sergt. Le Watkins" comes [illegible] - you shall have them - the name of others not now in dock.

Have you heard that Miss R. is, or was "at last accounts quite ill at Ansbrogue? I was permitted to get on the track of her lost [illegible] and they have been forwarded to M. The new room is finished - Breasone taken to day for carpet + Curtains - and all will be lovely. I wish you were here to assist in arranging and [illegible]. I have several times heard from dear Mrs Haines - she is well - and has heard from her work! God bless her! and you dear - and once more good bye - I've given you more time than - I and my heart would like to stay

Lovingly Yours - F. A Dyer

New-York - Oct/64

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Rev. J. Agnew M. Bailey	Buffalo
Rev. L. M. Lansdell	Buffalo. Bear Creek.
Rev. C. F. Sprague.	Clarkfield. Bear Creek
Rev. Austin F. Lansdell.	Fredonia. Gas Creek.

Cayuga.

Rev. C. F. Hamilton.	Auburn. N. Y.
Rev. L. T. Daniels.	Weedsport. N. Y.

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Chemung.

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Rev. Franklin J. Hare.	Barrette. Bear Creek.

Columbia.

Rev. Jesse F. Cornell.	Catskill Bear Creek.
Rev. Jesse L. Bailey.	Hudson. Bear Creek.

Seneca

Rev. Lemuel F. Fitch.	Seneca. Bear Creek.
Rev. Joseph F. Mc Gill.	Cattaraugus. Bear Creek.
Rev. William N. Edwards.	Selby. Bear Creek.

Genesee valley.

Rev. William F. Wheeler	Pittsville. Bear Creek.
Rev. Thomas Chattle	Bradford. Pittsburgh Pa.
Rev. R. O. Smith	Olean. Bear Creek.
Rev. F. R. Eaton	Olean Bear Creek.

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Seneca.

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Miss Helen Fowler. Seneca Falls. New York

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Mrs. Charles Bertie Middletown New York.
Mrs. Charles H. Cooper South Centreville R. I.
Mrs. Francis M. Cummings. Goshen. N. York.

Long Island.

Mrs. Ephen Whitaker. Southold. L. I. New York
Mrs. Samuel Hunting Southampton L. I. N. Y.
Miss Mary H. Howell. Quogue — " " " "
Mrs. P. H. Reilley. Brooklyn — L. I.
Miss Amelia Smith. Yaphank — " " " "

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Mrs. John V. Veitenheimer. Otto N. York.

Canada.

Mrs. Levi Sampson. Jamaica L. C.
Mrs. L. R. Bowker. Bay Shore L. I. N. Y.
Miss F. E. McCormick. " " "

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Miss F. A. Tyler. 23 [illegible] "
Mrs. Ed. H. Crosby. [illegible] "
Mrs. Wm. H. Webster. 73 [illegible] Ave. "

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Mrs. Robert Steele. Lockport. New York.
Mrs. C. A. Steele. East Bolton. Warren Co. N. Y.

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Mrs. Grace Hedges. Poughkeepsie. New York.
Mrs. Hetty Craig. New Lebanon. New York.
Mrs. Frederick F. Savage. Newburgh. New York.

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Mrs. C. P. Sherburne. East Sp[illegible] Co. N. Y.
Mrs. Horace H. Allen. Oneonta N. Y.
Miss Catherine Sherburne. Cherry Valley N. Y.

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Mrs. Joseph C. Page. Rochester. New York.
Mrs. Wm. Ellis. Rochester. New York.
Mrs. Hezekiah Nichols. Rochester. New York
Mrs. Joseph E. Ethridge Geneva New York.
Miss Frances E. Lansdale. Geneva. New York.
Mrs. Herman C. Riggs. Rochester. New York.

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St Lawrence.
Mrs. L. Jewell Miller — Ogdensburg, New York.
Mrs. Charles Anthony — Gouverneur, St. Lawrence Co. New York.
Miss P. J. Hubbard. — Waterloo, New York.

Newton
Mrs. Wm. A. Giles. — Honeoye Falls, New York.
Mrs. Frank Williams — Corning, New York.
Mrs. Wm. H. Rice. — Auburn, New York.

Syracuse.
Mrs. Dr. C. Winchester — Fayetteville, New York.
Mrs. Gilbert Mallison — Syracuse, New York.
Mrs. John Hobbie. — Syracuse, New York.
Mrs. Clarence Brown — Syracuse, New York.
Mrs. Allen Butler. — Syracuse, New York.

Troy.
Mrs. H. H. G. Burden — Troy, New York.
Mrs Edward N. Dawes. — 48 Second Ave. Troy, N.Y.
Miss Lizzie Eddy. — Glenwood, Troy, N.Y.

Utica.
Mrs. J. C. Gallup. — Clinton, New York.
Mrs. Fred. A. Wm. Brown. — Little Falls, New York.
Miss Sarah. Gilbert. — Utica, New York.

Sulphur Springs Dec. 2nd 4

Dear Mad Walker, Huron Dakota

I seem to me more desirable you should attend those meetings in Dakota than any you go to here. I have written Jennie 23 & told her my views about it, you know my wife does not like to be left alone, & I am sure she will be lonely. Mrs Mitchell & Mrs Morris, & study with them wants them! We really appreciate the letter about the work — you about the teaching there =

I am enclosing you

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With love and
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F. E. H. Hauptm.

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Mrs Horace Eaton
memorial of husband

Clifton Springs Dec. 8th 4
Mrs. Horace Eaton — c/o D. M. Bennett Esq
Dyeaming St — Ninth Hill
Townsville Mass

Dear friend,

I am glad to hear from you — Was sorry you cannot take charge of the place of Secretary desired. I do not know what Mrs. Mowry or Dobbs Ferry — or Prof. in Third Avenue will say — It may be difficult for her to speak — Temporary arrangement with any one until Spring — You

[illegible]

with which God has favored
you —

I am Mamma & you
dear brothers in particular,
cannot you attend to my
Brother Charles, & thank him
for all your trouble & do
not be here on Sunday
as you propose — but am
pleased that you thought
it proper to endeavor, for
the time being with
their aunt —

Please write me a
line — if you should any
thing either to wear — If
the Jack I sent me could
I pray do another pair
could be spared — Have sent
box of Books & pens — more at
convenient opportunity I mean to
write a little — give my love to all Pleasants
& love — Ever truly & affy Yours

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Atlantic - First Sepulchre Committee

Springfield Dec. 10th 64

Mrs. Emory Williams - Asheville N. Car.

Dear Sister,

I have heard from my dear friend, Mrs. R. H. Allen, that the Synod of Atlantic has since we last met, done what I have so long desired - viz - that it had appointed a Woman's Synodical Committee of Home Missions - Mrs. Allen tells me also that you are its first President as I am - first and only

I am [illegible]
of Kentucky has appointed
a Mounted Corps. This
shall this summer be com-
plete.

We shall be very glad
to hear from you — and
to give you any and
all information in our
power — I hope to re-
turn home from here
as another Secretary — now
in our Legislature
and I shall [illegible]
[illegible] — The Lord
bless & guide us all.

Yours very truly

E. H. Haines Sec.

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A letter to the Freedmen's office

Mrs. R. H. allen (258) Dec. 19th 4
Pittsburg Penn.

Dear friend,

I came home day before yesterday much wearied & not health — Elijah Spring would be glad to write to Dr. Allen, I think, if he is not recruiting fast. Now as you are not going South I suppose for the present, what would you think to coming to New York & Brooklyn for three weeks or so — holding meetings in a number of churches — Nothing

It is very difficult to get Meetings in time enough to keep them more than an hour — We want a series of meetings about the Western work — and while there is to be more than one department in a short meeting, it must be —

Miss Walker is one of the Committee of two — appointed by the Brooklyn Central Society on Freedmen's work — Her address is 109 South Oxford St Brooklyn N. York —

I think it would be well for you to send some little item - or any thing you like by the 4th or 5th of each month to our Editorial Secretary — Mrs. Geo. D. Phelps — 23 Centre St. — I think she would get a part at least of what you may furnish, in every number of the "Christian Missionary" — But there is so much material that has to be left out, that I cannot, in any way, answer for this. I thank you cordially for your article — Also Dr. Allen.

yours affectionately
— J. E. A. Haines —

ness, except Lady Wedderburn, Miss Walker & Mrs. Hammond of Dr. Cuyler's church & sister in law of our dear Mrs. Chas E. Walker — They want you to come very much. Also I remember. Think early in November I proposed a visit from you & a little talk given in Dr. Parkhurst's church - New York - & the friends there want to see you —

Now I ought to see others such as Mrs. Niven, Prof. & the Appl. Convention before completing any plans — This is true & I feel to yourself — to see whether you should come & invited) ——

Bd of S.W.
and Synod Comte

Dec. 20th

Mrs. J. W. Allen — Pastr. Rom. —
Olive St. St. Louis Mo

Dear friend,

How are you? It is long since I heard from you —

To whom had I better write when any thing particular in connection with B. of S.W. calls for a letter?

Sometimes I am hoping to hear that work is reviving itself — as to headquarters — with having an

60 - 100 after Quarterly Meeting only - leaving Home work to be cared for by the Synodical Com^tee in each Synod as elsewhere - This change has been satisfactorily & pleasantly accomplished in Nebraska Synod - after years of almost unavoidable friction - It does not involve any change in the local Societies - These often are working both for two departments -

As to this matter, it does no good to press it in advance of public sentiment - we could not prosecute it -

With respects to Dr. Allen -

Mrs. Hewitt & E. H. Haines -

Please enter names in application Book —

(Miss Emily Robinson) has taught Port Henry N.Y. & Cobleskill near Albany — as Principal in grad. school — Kind-hearted & energetic — Character like that of sister.

Mrs. Lizzie Perkins — mother of adobe — a young widow without children — has been teaching in a public school in Omaha —

Health good — Both used to work — and used hard house-work —

Plays & sings enough to lead in school —

Can teach Latin — mathematics &c.

Address of both — Port Henry Essex Co — N.Y. —

Rec'd by former pastor's wife Mrs. Fred. F. Judd — Cobleskill N.Y.

Miss Hattie Douglas of Cattskill Steuben Co. has been teaching also —

Miss Jeannette M. Judd — daughter of Rev. Orrin F. Judd — now at Catskill N.Y. — a cousin of Geo. F. Talbot Jungfrau — Can play prunella & play organ — Has a good voice — & can teach English branches —

Mrs. Judd thinks the sisters mentioned on other page could carry on a school together — Emily particularly has a strong missionary spirit — Possibly she could go & labor with Mrs. Judd — Being trained to it — Keeping, might answer as Matron

Miss Boyd
later Mrs. St. Clair Dodge

Dec. 20th

Miss E. L. Boyd — 4 Linden Ave
Ashville N. Ca.

Dear Miss Boyd,

I thank you very much for writing so fully & I will be helpful at this end — as you, I can send no official news — but shall endeavour to encourage you to go on, believing the work will be attended very cordially by our Exec. Com^tee — under the B of Home Missions — I say this judging by approval given by one of its members — to whom

I read parts of your letter, two days ago —
I hope to write again soon — In the mean time, please go on as you are doing. & the Lord is sure to guide matters so as to work the plans to have done —
It is not necessary to add mine as presents —
Believe me with loving entreaties — yrs. truly
J. E. H. Tinsley &c.

Chicago Peach
Reorganized

Dec. 20th 4

Mrs. Ed Ely - 206 - 26½ St Chicago Ills -

Dear Mrs. Ely, How thankful I am you are better - & able to go to work again. It is pleasant for to have really seen you - so we have no reason to write to each other as strangers -

It is a good & permanent step in advance have the Chicago Prot. Society so formally re-organized - Thank you for forwarding names. Officers -

It is encouraging for to have Mrs. C.C. Peck continue her donation

a new home for a year
or two — to recruit — His
address is 386 Garfield ave —
Jersey city N.J. — You may
like to ask him to some
future meeting —

Mrs Young & Clarke has
made no other statement —
wishing to be entirely in-
dependent of Rabel — or Impe-
rium — We have to tell
people on inquiry, that
it is carrying on a private
enterprise — to which
their money must be
given on their own responsi-
bility —

I hope you may receive
proved good effects to
the good cause — and so
much hindrance from Leah

Mrs D. M. Miller
left Woman's Ex Center

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of money to take up all that is offered —

Mrs. D. M. Miller has left my employ — and is at work in some city mission in Brooklyn — I do not understand — If I hear of any one else particularly entitled to Birthday Reading Cards, I will let you know — You might write to Miss Sarah Bonnell — c/o Mrs. Bonnell — Asst Woman's Home — Elizabeth N. Jersey — She is a trusty excellent girl — earnest

thro your channel — I have known of his sending it directly to Dr. Kendall — There will be no difficulty at all in having the matter transferred —

Can you send me the present address of Dr. McPhee? I do hope his trip may succeed in raising funds for the Institute at Salt Lake City —

My knowledge of Utah teaching not now adapted by any special study — is not very fresh to-day — I have been away from home for a month — and quite away from the Office — Miss F. A. Dyer an efficient new Secretary is there & pressed with work to get on our Stationery with her —

yrs. truly & affectly
J. C. H. Haines &c.

Mrs Chas E. Walker
speaks for Woman's Work

Dec. 22nd 4

Mrs. Chas. E. Walker — Poncha Springs Colo.

Dear Mrs. Walker,

Let me congratulate you upon having permitted to alight at this home-port for a little while — This is the case with myself — as I returned from Salida Springs last Wednesday. On the afternoon Mrs. Hutchinson & Miss Walker called. It was so pleasant to see them — Miss Walker is one of a Committee of two — to look after the Freedmen's Building —

I enclose part I note
from Mrs. Langdon — about
the Catechism — If convenient
you could do nothing
while flitting about —

I judge that our Secretaries in getting straightly worked on the subject of "Specials" — viz — having them attended to promptly — It is time our business was put in more systematic shape — No fear can be expressed that all is not done right after a while — sometimes dunns do not make a gift as special — when I enclose it good with the regular salary, or expenses I am content — With respects to Mr. Walker, I hope you are going to Winona, yrs. affectly

J. E. H. Haines

Organization here York Creek
Alice Robertson for speaker

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Dear 24th 4
Mrs. Augusta R. Moore Muscogee I. Ter

Dear Mrs. Moore,

It was decided yesterday
to call a meeting of the
women of the Methodist Church
of New York early in January
next - to organize a Foreign Missionary
Society - Their object to send
out & support "Miss Alice" as definitely
& positively - Hoping to enlist
the interest & co-operation
of our local church - & you
write Alice if any time
near at the date chosen,

hope she can be present to speak for your shattered household.—

What is the average cost of furnishing a bed-room — also a kitchen & dining-room — so far as you can judge!

Is any more bedclothes needed? I think you have blankets. Will any clothing be needed for the children? Is it better to have the Indian parents provide this — which also have been at Qu'Appelle lately & must know Mr. McKenzie — who spoke of your dear Grace with so much interest & affection, & appreciation, and to make me thank you for her — & have been be-

Hoping both yourself,

[illegible]

Organization of New York Presbt.

Carroll St. Brooklyn.

Dec. 24th

Mrs. H. B. Brownell 139 W. 58th St. N. York

Dear Sister,

I found at a Comtee Meeting, called by Mrs. Mervin held in Dr. Crosby's Lecture Room yesterday, that you were expected there — and I told them Miss Grace Harris might obtain you —

The business was principally in regard to starting a Prot. Home Mission Society in Prot. N. York — Mrs. Mervin would gladly have one for both Foreigners & Home Missions in mind. Mrs. Hubbard & daughter do not favor it — The Comtee

decided to call a Meeting
Convention of promoters the
Prot. Churches of N. York Colony
early in January — & that
Mrs. Niven as Rect. of the Episcl
Ch. should do this —
I deem you are Chairman
of the meeting of the Episcl Com.
in N. York Colony — and this
might have been done by you
but much work is entailed
upon us by enquiries as to places
addressed — &c, it is my fault
you are relieved from it — Only
please be sure to come to the
meeting if possible —
Frank & Ed — are both home,
but will leave me day after
to-morrow — I came home yesterday —
Rosalie stay before yesterday —
She will probably go back after
New Years —
Love & best wishes
to you all — from us all — How
quickly have the Christmas days flown
by — affec. Aunt E. & H. Hamilton

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Nettakatta
English Bishops visit
causes trouble

242 Carroll St. Brooklyn
Jan. 14th 4

Miss Jane McTaggart 48 Montague Square London

Dear Jane,

Your note received this morning & with the card being across the sea to us — such token of your remembrance of us — in addition to the comforting words they remind us of, are just extra sunshine before Christmas day — Electa still lives in Philadelphia with her daughter (Mrs. Chas. S. Norton) I forward your note & the card for Electa at once — I do wish you could receive them to-morrow — She has been

known in every way in our power — both speech of the extent of this country! — I must realized it as much, as any citizen this continent knows — Alaska is truly magnificent as to scenery — and we found much opening time for wicked mutinary effect — South of Alaska in your Queen's possessions, we visited Metlakatla — where Mr. William Duncan & the Episcopal church has been at work for thirty years

rather better in health this winter - altho the cough sometimes - You perhaps of having grumbled had an attack of bronchitis - I suppose you must be getting a little on in life, as the expression is - as well as myself - I call it the ascent - not the down-hill - but on the way we must expect some infirmities - What a happy thing it is we can trust in the Lord thro every change - I know that he is ever near to uphold & guide us - I think the idea of his personal return to this world is gaining ground in this country - as the great hope of the Church. It seems to me, a great

has been marvellous
His Indians are really becoming
christianized & civilized &
mentally, thus - from our own
observation - because I understand that reports to the
discredit of Mr. Duncan have
been circulated - I know
some Bishop had come
there, and was cautious some
time - The Indians are deeply
attached to Mr. Duncan & want
no change of administration
My love to your brother
and - With best wishes
to you both,
yrs. truly & affectly
J. E. H. Haines -

Alterations the Synodical Committee Minutes

Dec. 27th 4

Mrs. Wm Addy - Marietta Ohio -

Dear Mrs. Addy,

It may be that you have not received official notice of your appointment by the Synod of Ohio to the permanent duties of a member of Woman's Synodical Committee of Home Missions in Synod of Ohio. If such has already been sent you, please pardon this repetition for my part. We want from you in each church, to give you a correct list of names into the Synodical volume which is to be returned by the Synod. We have reason to believe that this is because you have already provid

I remain ever your Treasurer -
May the Lord bless & guide
you and us in every endeav
-our which shall be to His
honor, and the salvation
-n of sinful country -

A copy of our paper the
"Protestant Witness" will be se
-nt you - by the kindness of the
Ed^r of Home-Missions - This i
-s done, with the hope, that all the
-se you partially take the paper
-s already, you may
have an extra copy - to hand,
which to solicit others, to
Home-Missions, & perhaps obtain
-n new subscribers to it. -

The three members of the
Asst. Com.ee of Home Missions
for Poetry & Rhyme are
Mrs A. B. Scott - Middlesbrough Obs.
Mrs Chas D. Curtis - Hockinsport "
Wishing you great blessing
& success in your efforts,
yrs. very truly
J. G. H. Haines &c.

efficient in service, that more has been given you, according to the printed —

Your special work, unless elected to some office in the Synod Com^tee will be in the Presbytery of Athens —

A little package of leaflets etc. will be sent you from our Office — Please advise for any [illegible] addition you may like to make in procuring information — One of the leaflets gives some suggestions as to the duties connected with your office — We shall be glad to answer to [illegible] any questions you may care to ask — There is much to be done, both in the way of securing prayer & contributions to this great cause — The work is being hindered for want

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re search for
a secretary

[illegible] by some Bp. law
matter should be fully pro-
duced —

We have fixed to go Wed. Morn.
Eden & Palmyra, to Secretary, since
hearing Mrs. M. E. Kerr could not
take it, but she is coming
immediately. Mr. Hartill ab-
sent —

Mrs. Walker can
give Mrs. Wilmot. Mr. attendance
she proved true, certainly $15.00
a month, if she likes to give
it. Mrs. Wilmot some private
[illegible] Hall, if not be best
to obtain her company some
to make her to give more
if not all. Mrs. Eden to her
room, Mrs. Secretary's room.
Do you know what the
Mrs. Walker is able to talk
in your case? That would make
a difference — Yours with love — both wishing
C. D. H. Harris —

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[illegible] Mrs [illegible] on Treasurer
[illegible] are at liberty to pay [illegible]
Salary — also Postage &c — and [illegible]
any general limits no person [illegible]
before passing all our public [illegible]
of Mrs. M. E. Boyd —

It is on Motion ordered that
the Mr Exec. Comm. pay
Christ Ingle, Med. Return, for sur-
veying expenses & was paid — Also
that Dr. Kendrick & Robt be the
Medical Visitors for Town
for the ensuing [illegible]

It was Resolved Unanimously & Town
Warrant issued for [illegible]

avoid the pain of parting
any one —

I write to day particularly on regard to the parting I entered upon yesterday — my Brother being called to Town, need I tell you I walked home with Miss Nott. Your Regimentals (Coat) I dare say being paid —

I do not like to write particulars about the family here and could any one be excused to you my dear Eve. Write I am sure I should not — Bid it having now acquired a Habit that I cannot break myself of paid a dollar — in order to secure

+ Mrs. Nott Bird, good night